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BEFORE THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20554

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In the Matter of)	FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
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Revision of the Commission's Rules	to Ensure)	CC Docket No. 94-102
Compatibility with Enhanced E911 Emergency)	
Calling Systems)	

To: The Commission

Quarterly Report of Blanca Telephone Company Regarding TTY Access to Digital Wireless Systems and Request for a Brief Extension of the TTY Deadline

Blanca Telephone Company (Reporter) hereby submits its quarterly report regarding implementation of Text Telephone access (TTY) to digital wireless systems in compliance with the FCC's *Fourth Report* and *Order* in the captioned proceeding. 66 Fed. Reg. 35430 (July 5, 2001).

Reporter provides cellular service in Colorado and uses Nortel hardware and software for its network architecture. Reporter's digital TTY implementation efforts are dependent upon Nortel's provision of suitable hardware/software solutions in order to implement digital TTY and Reporter is also dependent upon the availability of compatible TTY handsets. In the last report we indicated that Nortel was not ready to install the required modifications and we requested a brief extension of the TTY implementation requirement. We have been advised by Nortel that the required upgrades will be made by November 30, 2002. Because provision of the required software is beyond Reporter's control, and because progress has been made toward installing the required upgrade, and to provide for small amount of scheduling flexibility, Reporter seeks a further brief extension of the June 2002 TTY deadline to December 30, 2002.

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